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TO AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR OVERFLIGHTS OF PAKISTAN

REF: (A) ISLAMABAD 4515; (B) NEW DELHI 6282

1. WHILE RECOGNIZING PROBLEMS GOP MAY HAVE WITH GRANTING OVERFLIGHT CLEARANCES WITHOUT TECHNICAL STOPS LAHORE, WE WONDER IF THIS REQUEST MIGHT BE PUT TO PAKS ON EXCEPTIONAL BASIS. WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE THIS TRACTOR SALE CONSUMMATED IN VIEW ESCORTS' TIE-IN WITH U.S. FIRM (FORD). MORE IMPORTANTLY, HOWEVER, WE ATTACH IMPORTANCE TO EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONING OF AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT BANK OF AFGHANISTAN, WHICH WE HAVE SUPPORTED BOTH THROUGH BILATERAL AID AND IDA CONTRIBUTIONS.

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2. THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU BELIEVE DOING SO WOULD BE TOTALLY COUNTER PRODUCTIVE, EMBASSY REQUESTED TO EXPLORE POSSIBILITY AT APPROPRIATE LEVEL OF OBTAINING WAIVER OF LANDING REQUIREMENT, STRESSING OUR BILATERAL INTEREST IN HAVING TRACTORS DELIVERED AS EFFICIENTLY AS POSSIBLE. YOU MAY ALSO WISH TO CONSIDER LINE THAT SYMPATHETIC RESPONSE BY PAKISTAN WOULD BE VIEWED AS MAGNANIMOUS GESTURE TOWARD NEIGHBORS AT TIME OF GENERALLY IMPROVING ATMOSPHERE IN SOUTH ASIA.

3. FOR NEW DELHI: IMPORTANT FACTOR WOULD BE NUMBER OF FLIGHTS INVOLVED. WHAT IS YOUR ESTIMATE? RUSH

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